

Dear FCC --

I must respectfully urge you to reject the NAB's petition 04-160 and to support XM's Satellite Radio's ability to provide their XM Instant Traffic and Weather services for the many major cities it covers.

Not only has it proved essential to my personal and professional productivity, it also allows me to monitor traffic in other major cities I'm traveling in (I drive a lot), or even to cities I'll be flying to as I bring my XM portable radio with me for the rental cars.

It's nuts to ban this -- it's progress. Local radio CAN NOT compete with this offering, which may be tragic for them but thanks to satellite, excellent for the consumer.

REMEMBER -- YOU ARE HERE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CONSUMER.. NOT THE BROADCASTER.

Thank you kindly.

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